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For: **Optical Waveguides With Embedded Air-Gap Cladding Layer And Methods
Of Fabrication Thereof**

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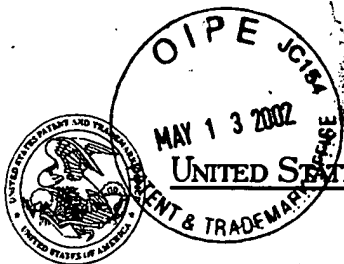
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